Condition Not Unexpected in View of Rapid Rise in Prices Since Tuesday.

ROCK ISLAND STILL STRONG

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borrowings, and a loss in cash that had been looked for. The bank surplus changed only in an infinitesimal way. Political influences to-day seemed to play little part in the market, the general impression being that the run of news in the last twenty-eight hours has been as favorable to come political party as the other.

NEW YORK, September 25.—The cotton market opened steady at a decline of 294 state opened steady at a decline of 294 state

Bonds were firm. Total sales, par value, \$2,025,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call during the week. Total sales to-day, 389,100 shares, including Chesapeake and Ohio, 300; Norfolk and Western 100; Read-ing, 49,500; Rock Island, 78,100; South-ern Pacific, 20,900; Union Pacific, 52,800. Japan, 350 bales.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., September 26,—
COTTON—Spots were quiet and unchangel. Middling, 91-16c; sales were 600 bales on the spot and 1,225 to arrive, Cotton futures opened quiet from 2 points under to 1 point above last night. The session was a most liteless, and prices fluctuations were extremely narrow. Expectations of a Bullish government condition report next week fears of bad weather in the cotton belt and covoring advanced prices a few points, after which they fell off to the opening leveis. The close was quiet and steady, with prices 2 points under last night. Clesing bids: September, nominal; October, 8.74; November, 8.66; December, S.65; Japuary, 8.69; February, 8.71; March, 8.75.

NEW YORK, September 26.—Money on call nominal; time loans dult and casy; sixty days, 2 1-2@2 3-4, and ninety days, 3; six months, 3 1-2. Close: Prime mercantile paper, 4@4 1-2 per cent. Sterling exchange fairly steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.85@\$4.8505 for sixty-day bills, and at \$4.853\$6@\$4.8640 for demand. Commercial bills, \$4.84 1-2@\$4.84 3-4. Bar silver, 51 1-2. Mexican dollars, 45. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds firm.

RICHMOND STOCK MARKET.

Richmond, Va., September 26, 1908. STATE SECURITIES. North Carolina 4s. C. 1910.... 95 ... North Carolina 6s. C. 1919.... 118 ... Va 3s., Old, C. and R., 1932... 92 93

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OFFICIAL RANGE AND SALE OF STOCKS IN NEW YORK

LES;	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing. Bid. Asked	SALES, O	pen.	High.	Low.	Clos Bld. A	ng
0 Allis-Chalmers	10%	10%	10%	10% 11	2,300 Int. Metropolitan, pfd	31.34	32%	3174	32	3
Allis-Chalmers, pfd	141	222.0		32 331	International Paper		***	***	91/2	=
0 Amalgamated Copper 0 American Can	14.78	751/4	757% 614	7414 745		• •		***	56	10
American Can, pfd	5%	51/2	0.7	5¼ 6 68 69	Louisville and Nashville .		***	***	104	i
Amer. Car and Foundry.	3914	3934	2914	. 68 69 39 2914			***	***	133	i.
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American Cotton Oll	34%	34%	2414	3414 3414		1056	2014	201/4	3014	
O American Locomotive	46%	4634	4014	4614 4614	Mo., Kan, and Tex., pfd.		digital in	/E	6314	
Amer. Locomotive, pfd	Property of the			101 103		5314	5314	5.2	5234	
American Smelting	85%	861/2	85	8514 85%	Nash., Chat, and St. L			300000	105	1
American Sugar				12954 130%	6,200 National Lead	8414	85	1234	83%	88
American Tobacco, com.	***	***	***	815 320	700 New York Central 10		1041/4	1631/2	103%	1
American Tobacco, pfd.,	"iir	45	***	92 9414	400 N. Y., Ont and Western 4	10-16	40794	40	39%	
Anaconda Copper	60	88	8736	41% 44%	100 Norfolk and Western	(2/2	721/2	721/2	721/4	
Atchison, pfd	co			871/4 87% 94% 951/4	8,900 Northern Pacific 12	511/2	1391/4	1351/4	135%	1
Atlantic Coast Line			***	84 8514	Pacific Mail	2016	12214	12114	12114	1
Bastimore and Ohio	di	97	96%	9314 96%	People's Gas				96	ě.
Brooklyn Rapid Transit.	47	4774	471/4	47% 47%	Prosed Star Cor			***	3114	8
Canadian Pacific	17234	1721/4	17214	1721/4 17294	Pressed Ster Car Pressed Ster Car, pfd				92	
Chesapeake and Ohlo	40%	40%	401/4	4014 4034	29,500 Reading	81.4	32874	127	127%	1
Chicago Great Western	7	714	7.0	7 714	100 Republic Lon and Steel 2	2	200	22	22	9
Chi., Mil. and St. Paul	13514	13514	1331/4	1331/2 133 1/4	100 Republic I. and S., pfd., 7	81/4	20	781/4	78	ñ
Ch., M. and St. Paul, pfd	1491/4	14914	1491/4	150 156	8,700 Rock Island 1	10%	20	1834	191/6	
Chicago and Northwest	*22	***	***	158 159	75,990 Rock Island, pfd 3:	9%	41.76	38%	391/2	
Clev., Cin., Chi, and St. L. Colorado Fuel and Iron.	997/	53 34	57 3214	53 64	Sloss-Sheffield	0.40	****	222.00	6014	E
Colorado and Southern.	2017	2956	25%	33% 34 38% 39	20,700 Southern Pacific 100			10234	2114	1
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Col. and South., 2d pfd		***		5714 5814	100 Southern Railway, pfd. 5: 800 Tennessee Copper 3	1914	2814	3814	3834	8
Consolidated Gas	145%	14914	145	148 1481/2	Texas Pacific		W 72	20.16	2314	3
Delaware and Hudson	166	166	166	16514 166	54,600 Union Pacific 151		15914	157%	15814	1
Distillers' Sec. Cor		311/6	3114	311/4 311/4	306 United States Rubber 3		3014	39	3034	
Erie	29%	2974	291/2	291/2 291/4	15,600 United States Steel 4	6%	45%	4514	45	
Erie, 1st pfd	431/9	431/4	43	421/2 431/2	1,500 United States Steel, pfd 10		1091/4	108%		1
Erie, 2d pfd	351/4	351/4	2514	35 351/2	VaCar. Chemical				29	
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Illinois Central	1991/	5814	57%	67% 671/2	130 Wabash, pfd 2		25%	25%	25%	6
Int. Metropolitan	1014	13814	1016	138 138¼ 10¼ 11	Total sales, 340,400 shares, F	072	601/4	1 000 -		

CL	OSING BOND QUOTATION	S.
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licago, B. and Quincy new 4s 98%	New York Central gen, 34s (bid) 93	Western Md. 48
nicago, R. I. and Pacific R. R. 48, 72	New Jersey Central gen. 5s 123%	Wisconsin Central 4s 85%

teady to firm on demand from shorts and consumers. Prime crude, 29c.; prime sum mer yellow, 38%@39c.; off summer yellow 384 @ 39c.; good off summer yellow, 374 @

36%c.; prime white, 42@46c.; prime winter yellow, 44%@46c. CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT-		THE RESERVE		
Sept	1.0014	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%
Dec				1.01%
May				1.04 %
OATS-	AND DESCRIPTION	TOA PRINTED		
Sept	80	80	79%	* 79%
Dec		6654		
May	655	4 654	651	
CORN-	ANALYS COM	100	E U/OCA	all brokers
Sept	4516	4874	4814	4876
Dec				
May	5114	51%	5114	
MESS PORK-			1000	
Oct			15.15	15.25
	16.7714	16 90	16.77%	
May	16 7714	16.85	16.77%	
LARD-Per 1	go the	20100	- 01.1.72	- 01.00
Oct			10.1714	10.25
Jan				9.874
May				9.90
SPORT RIBS			Toronto (So)	22333

Richmond, Va., Septem	ber	26.	1908.
WHOLESALE QUOTATIONS	ON	'CH	ANG
WHEAT-Car lots.			4500000
No. 2 red, Western		0	\$1.05
No. 2 red, Virginia	1.03		1.04
No. 3 red	1.00		1.02
Steamer	98	0	
Virginia (bag lots)	85	0	
Va., for seed (bag lots)	98	0	1.04
CORN-Car lots.	100	133	2.00
No. 2 white		1	88
No. 3 white		60	87
No. 2 mixed		0	87
No. 3 mixed	86		0.1
Virginia (bag lots)	85	0	87
OATS-Car lots.	00		
No. 2 mixed	531		
No. 3 mixed	907	0	58
No. 2 white	55		38
No. 3 white	0.0	0	54
Winter seed (bag lots)	55	0	65
RYE-Car lots.	0.0	w	05
			2018/2
No. 2	80	0	83
No. 8		-	EMAL
Virginia (bag lots)	75	0	80
	1770		

ments, 452 harrels; stock, 145,180 barrels Quote: B, \$2.50.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF RICHMOND, SEPT. 26, 1908. ARRIVED. Steamer Brandon, Harney, Norfolk, mer-chardlee and passengers, Old Dominion Line-Steamer Pocahontas, Graves, Norfolk and James River landings, merchandlee and pas-sengers, Virginia Navigation Company,

SAILED. Steamer Brandon, Harnoy, Norfolk, mer-chandise and passengers, Old Dominion Line. Tug Standard Oil Company, No. 12, Burk, Baltimore, oil barge.

PRODUCE MARKET

There was slight change in the con-There was slight change in the condition of last week's market. Eggs continued firm and active; receipts light. Receipts in butter were more liberal and the market somewhat easier. All stock in poultry was active at prices quoted. Apple receipts were liberal. Choice to fancy stock was in good demand at prices quoted. Common and medium stock duil, low and hard to sell. Virginia bacon remained unchanged and active, with light receipts.

Apples—Francy—
\$2 to \$2.50 per barrel.

Fancy Virginia, \$2.50 to \$2.75 pe

\$1.50 per carrier.

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Cantelomes—
40 to 75 cents.

Yellow Onlons—
\$1.25 to \$2.50 per barrel. Spring chickens, large, 14 cents per

pound.
Ducks, 11 cents per pound
Hens, 11 cents per pound
Roosters, 25 cents apiece.
Guineas, 25 cents apiece. Eggs.
Crates, nearby, fresh laid, 24 cents
per dozen.
Crates, from other sections, 24 cents

Crates, from other section of the per dozen.

Barrels and boxes, 22 to 23 cents per dozen.

Butter

Choice family packed, 17 to 18 cents per pound.

Choice dairy packed, 18 to 20 cents per pound.

Medium store packed, 15 cents per pound.

Choice Virginia Bacon— Small new hams, 16 to 17 cents per Smoked shoulders, 10 to 11 cents per

smoked shoulders, 10 to 11 cents per pound.
Prime country lard, 10 to 11 cents per pound.
Veals—
Choice, 7 cents per pound.
Lambs—
Spring 5 to 6 cents per pound amba—
Spring, 5 to 6 cents per pound.
Fall, 5 to 6 cents per pound.
Fall, 5 to 6 cents per pound.
Sheep, 3 to 4 cents per pound.
Beer cattle, good to prime, 5 to 6
ents per pound.
Live hogs, 5 1-2 to 7 cents per pound.

EXTEND AMERICAN TRADE

Exporters Should Emulate the Success

Consul C. S. Crowninshield, of Na-ples, submits the following report in regard to the extension of American trade in Italy and other foreign coun-tries:

LUES, good to prime... 6.50 & 9.3.0
Shert leaf... 2.60 & 10.00
Wrappers 12.50 & 25.00
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MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

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PEANUT MARKET.
(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)
PFARTSBURG, VA. September 26.—
PFANUTS—Market quite at 21 per bushel, Viginias—Market steady at 4c. for fancy stock: machine picked at 3c.; shelling stock at 24724c.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

NEW YORK, September 26.—The cotton yarr market was firmer to-day, More business is being tendered by weavers and knitters. Sheetings were in better call, Printed and woven flannelettes and ginghane business from stock are selling freely at low prices. The burlap market is quite with prices erratic and tending toward firmness.

NAVAL STORES.

WILMINGTON, N. C. September 26.—This consultate is intundated with letters and tending toward firmness.

NAVAL STORES.

WILMINGTON, N. C. September 26.—SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady at 34%c.; receipts, 35 barrels. Tar—Firm at 31.50; receipts, 31 barrels. Crude Turpennine—Firm at 31.50; receipts, 31 barrels. Crude Turpennine—Firm at 31.50; receipts, 31 barrels. Crude Turpennine—Firm at 31.50; receipts, 32 barrels. Crude Turpennine—Firm at 31.50; receipts, 31 barrels. Crude Turpennine—Firm at 31.50; receipts, 31 barrels. Crude Turpennine—Firm at 31.50; receipts, 32 barrels. Crude Turpennine—Firm at 31.50; receipts, 33 barrels. Crude Turpennine—Firm at 31.50; receipts, 31 barrels. Crude Turpennine—Firm at 31.50; receipts, 32 barrels. Crude Turpennine—Firm at 30.56c.; sales, 46c casks; receipts, 411 casks; shipments, 1,684 casks; Reseipts, 441 casks; shipments, 1,684 casks; Reseipts, 2,188 barrels; shipments, 1,684 casks; Reseipts, 31,684 casks; Reseipts, 31,687 casks; receipts, 2,188 barrels; shipments, 1,684 casks; Reseipts, 32,188 barrels; shipments, 1,684 casks; Reseipts, 34,184 casks; shipments, 1,684 casks; Res

Richmond, Va., September 26, 1908.
Tobacco: Dark Fired-Market continues quiet; receipts nominal. New primings in good demand at prices quoted. Brights-Receipts fair; market continues quiet but firm at unchanged. Sun-Cured-New primings active at quotations. Nothing doing in old stock.

DARK FIRED.

New primings...... \$ 1.00

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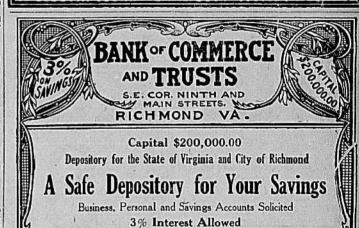
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NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

NEW YORK, September 28.—FLOUR—
Quiet but firm. Minnesota uatent, \$5.40 p
5.80; Minnesota bakers, \$4.20 p4.60; winter
potents, \$4.50 p4.70; winter weights, \$4.55 p
4.45. Rye Flour—Steady; fair to good,
\$1.25 p4.40; choice to fancy, \$4.45 p4.80.
Buckwheat Flour—Quiet. Cornmeal—Steady.
Rye—Dull. Barley—Steady. Wheat—Steady.
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Rye—Dull. Barley—Steady. Reptember closed
at \$6c; December, 77%c; May, 74c. Oats—
Spot steady; Ryed, 55c.
Wool—Quiet; domestic fleece, 30 g32 pc.
Beef—Quiet; domestic fleece, 30 g32 pc.
Beef—Quiet; domestic fleece, 30 g32 pc.
Beef—Quiet; family, \$10.75 g17.50; meas,
\$12.50 p14.00. Cut Meats—Steady. Lard—
Quiet; western, \$1.00 g10.70; refined, steady
Pork—Steady; family, \$20 g21; short clear,
\$10.921, mess, \$17.25 \$41.75. Tallow—Firm.
Petroleum and Rosin—Steady. Turpentine
—Quiet at \$9c.
Rice—Easy. Molasses—Firm; Now Orleans, open kettle, good to choice, \$28 g42.
Sugar—Raw, firm; fair refining, \$3.48; cenrifugal, . test, \$4.38; molasses
sugar,
\$1.22; refined, quiet. Coffee—Spot quiet;
Rich, No. 7, 64 c.; Sintos, No. 4, 84c.; mild,
dui; Cordova, \$4.6124c. Futures met unchanged to 5 points lower. Butter and
Closes—Firm. Eggs—Quiet and unchanged.
Pearuts and Liverpool Freights—Steady

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.